

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 3655  
AMEMBASSY SANTIAGO PRIORITY  
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C O N F I D E N T I A L BUENOS AIRES 9413

E.O. 11652 GDS  
TAGS PBOR, AR, CI  
SUBJECT BEAGLE CHANNEL

REF: SANTIAGO 9916

1. CHILEAN AMBASSADOR ROJAS GALDAMES TOLD ME  
TODAY DURING COURTESY CALL I PAID THAT HE EXPECTS  
NEGOTIATIONS ON BEAGLE CHANNEL ISSUE TO BEGIN  
TOMORROW. ROJAS IS CERTAIN ARGENTINES WILL ACCEPT  
BRITISH ARBITRATION DECISION WHICH GIVES CHILE  
TITLE TO THE THREE ISLANDS, AND BELIEVES THERE IS  
FLEXIBILITY IN ARGENTINE POSITION ON  
NEW SEA BOUNDRIES.

2. THE CHILEAN TOLD ME ALSO HE PERSONALLY IS  
CONFIDENT IN POSSIBILITY OF WORKING OUT  
BOLIVIAN SEA CORRIDOR PROBLEM. HE FEELS PERU'S  
POSITION IN CURRENT ARGENTINE-CHILEAN BEAGLE  
CHANNEL DISPUTE IS THE USUAL ONE-- A LATENT CONCERN  
FOR CHILE BUT NO IMMEDIATE THREAT.  
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